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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
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Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, patentee noted certain typographical errors made by the Patent and Trademark Office, which should be corrected as follows:

**Claim 11:**

Line 20, please replace "external surface" with "second component"

and

**Claim 11:**

Line 21, please correct the misspelled work "comnonent" to "component"

A copy of Form PTO/SB/44 is attached herewith, listing the above-noted errors.

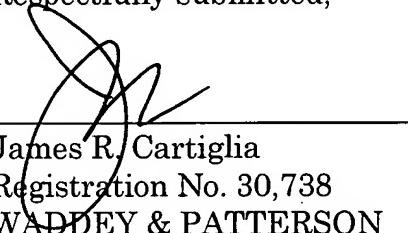
It is quite evident after a review of the specification and drawings as filed that the errors now sought to be corrected are inadvertent typographical errors or omissions made by the Patent Office, the correction of which does not involve new matter or require reexamination. No fee is due.

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Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

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Respectfully submitted,



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